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I. O. O. F.

Angelita Lodge No. 195, I. O. O. F.—Regular meetings of this Lodge are held every MONDAY DATES of each month at 7:30 P. M. Sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to attend. G. H. MATFIELD, C. P. A. W. HUTTON, Scribe.

Orange Grove Encampment, No. 31, I. O. O. F.

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All the Delicacies of the Season,

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Anchovies,

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for me in Los Angeles county. My address will be Mr. Clapp and his honorable business men. Call and see him at his residence, San Gabriel Orange Grove Association, San Gabriel, or address him at Box 73, Los Angeles, Cal.

ALLEN'S WILCOX

San Francisco, May 17, 1874.

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Well assorted with fresh and pure medicines

Also a splendid assortment of

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Sponges, and every toilet article from the best houses of the United States and France, American and French patent medicines.

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Languages are Spoken.

V. CHEVALLIER

has been established in San

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in the drug business will recommend him to the confidence of the people and medical fraternity of Los Angeles.

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CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

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THE NEW YEAR HERALD!!

THE DOUBLE SHEET DAILY!

In order to lay before the readers of the DAILY HERALD the annual city and county statistical matter in compact form, we shall issue one

Friday, January 1st, 1875.

A DOUBLE SHEET.

Containing EIGHT PAGES, or FORTY-EIGHT COLUMNS OF MATTER.

NO CHANGE IN PRICE!

Regular country agents will be furnished with the double sheet at the same rates as for the single sheet.

This issue will contain full information concerning the agricultural, mineral, commercial and mechanical resources of this favored country. To those who desire full information of this country it will be of inestimable value.

The edition will probably exceed 5,000. A few editorial notices of business houses will be inserted in this issue on favorable terms. There will be no soliciting, and all desire to make use of this grand opportunity for advertising should call on us at once.

ON the first of January GEORGE C. PERKINS of the GOODALL, NELSON & PERKINS Steamship Line, will leave his banking business at Oroville in charge of his brother and take up his residence permanently in San Francisco, where he will hereafter devote himself to advancing the interests of the Steamship Company.

A CHARTER election recently took place in Worcester, Mass., at which a husband and wife were the opposing candidates for the school committee. The grey mare proved the better horse; the wife securing two votes to the husband's one. Up to the latest accounts no domestic trouble had arisen from the political rivalry, but the experiment looks like a useless tempting of Providence.

We have already received orders for several hundred copies of the HERALD containing our annual review of the resources and industries of this city and county, to be published on Friday morning next. The edition bids fair to be large beyond precedent. Editorial notices of business houses will be published at reasonable rates. This is "one chance in a thousand" for advertisers, as the edition will circulate largely in Los Angeles and all parts of Southern California, while hundreds of copies will be sent to friends in "the old countries."

SUPERINTENDENT HEWITT calls our attention to the fact that the people of Los Angeles valley cannot save \$300,000 per annum on freight by building another road between this city and the water for the reason that freight charges received by the L. A. & W. Railroad Company do not exceed that sum per annum. This is a strong argument, and we do not see our way clear in the way of maintaining the correctness of our figures, though they were furnished us by a prominent and well-informed citizen. It would be a difficult thing to save more than we expend. It is, however, certain that if we had another road we should not have to pay nineteen cents per ton per mile on our freight, and what less we could get it done for would be so much saved. This, we think, we will be able to stand by.

The Depot Again.

We are informed that a few individuals are making strenuous efforts to induce the Council to consent that the railroad depot shall remain where it now is for an indefinite time. We

have no doubt but that if this point is gained it will ultimately result in serious damage to the city and we would suggest to the members of the Council the importance of acting carefully and advisedly in the matter. It is worth while to remember that a specific contract has been entered into by the Council and the railroad company and on the conditions of this contract \$75,000 worth of city bonds were surrendered to the railroad managers. The conditions on which these bonds were surrendered were that the railroad company should erect depot buildings on the ground, designated by the city, within a given time. If this contract is carried out the city will have the depot permanently located and the question definitely settled. If it is broken up the object in surrendering the bonds will not be obtained and the company released from its agreement to build the depot in the city. Having the bonds and being released from their contract, they will, when the times suits their convenience to do so, locate the depot on the east side of the river, thus leaving the city out in the cold, shortening the track of the Southern Pacific road one mile, and, no doubt, realize a handsome sum by greatly enhancing the value of property on the east side of the river. These are facts which interest the citizens of this city and it behoves Councilmen to examine before they aid in carrying out a scheme which, if successful, will work a serious inconvenience to the city proper. It is clear to the minds of all that the depot cannot long remain where it now is, and it seems to us who have no personal interest to serve and merely

advocate what we believe to be for the best interests of all, that the arrangement entered into by the Council and the railroad company should be carried out to the letter. We believe that such is the wish of the majority of citizens, and as we believe the majority of the Council desire to obey the wishes of their constituents, we have no doubt but that the conditions of the contract will be complied with.

Denies the Rumor.

In a card published in last evening's Express, ex-Governor DOWNEY denies that he has purchased the Star of this city for the purpose of running it in his interest as a candidate for Governor. Those who know the Governor best, say he is not likely to invest in a newspaper. We have no doubt the Governor would like to be Governor, but he has probably heard the story of the man who sold himself to the devil on the condition that he should be supplied with all the money he could use during life. The moment his majesty failed to put up the contract was void. The man went into all kinds of speculations, spent money extravagantly, but his majesty seemed to be made of money. The man began to dispair and as a last resort started a daily newspaper. The first month the bill's were paid promptly, the next month the devil began to growl at the expenses and the third month he failed altogether and told the man he was free. The Governor has a few dollars but he does not wish to personate the devil in the purchase of the Star.

It is a significant fact that our little friend AARON A. SARGENT, of Quaker Hill, Nevada county, is opposed to any and all propositions for investigating any of the subsidy schemes by which the people have been robbed out of millions of dollars. Any allusion in the Senate to the proposed investigation of the Pacific Mail and Central Pacific Railroad affects AARON as a red rag does a Spanish bull. He does not want any investigation and he attempts to defeat everything looking that way. AARON's hands are not clean. He is a sharp little financier, and has no doubt drove many a good bargain since he went into the Senate. He jobs out the Federal patronage of this coast as a green grocer peddles onions—take your choice but the "commish" must come.

New York City.

The population of New York city, according to the last census, is 942,292. It has a transient population of 30,000, which may be classified as follows: 5,000 immigrants temporarily staying in the city, 5,000 seamen, 10,000 guests at hotels, 10,000 guests at boarding-houses. The number of persons united in marriage during the year is estimated at 20,000; the number of births at 35,000; the number of deaths 20,000. Unremitted \$7,000,000 a year; the money spent every year for liquor in saloons and other places licensed for the purpose is \$50,000,000; the money spent every year for public schools is \$3,000,000.

Indian Depredations.

TUCSON, December 27th.—The Citizen publishes a letter from Agent Jeffords, at Chiricahua Reservation, relative to the recent thefts committed. They are attributed to Cachise's Apaches. The letter, taken with other reliable information, shows that over sixty Apaches always live in Sonora, and they have never been on the Chiricahua Reservation. Most of the depredations committed in the Mexican territory have been done by these Indians. The recent depredations in this Territory are believed to have been done by the same Indians. It is claimed that strange Indians were seen on the reservation prior to the theft. Should these statements prove true, Mexico has been depredated upon by her own Apaches and no blame can rest on this Government for harboring raiding Apaches on her border.

Not Fatally Injured—Drouth Not so Bad.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, December 28th.—Doctor Isham, a prominent business man of Morro, yesterday reported shot in the neck and mortally wounded, is now reported in a fair way to recover. The shooting is reported to have been the result of a previous quarrel between him and Brown.

The reports regarding the drouth in this county are greatly exaggerated. The volunteer grain crop, also the grass crop, are far above the average at this season of the year. Plowing and sowing are being pushed forward with great vigor in all parts of the county. The weather continues cold, with frosty nights.

Shot by Masked Men.

TRUCKEE, December 26th.—Last night about half past 6 a party of masked men entered Frank Rabell's saloon and fired at a man named Spencer, who had orders from the "601" to leave some time since, but returned. A charge of buckshot took effect in the right arm. Nine shots were extracted. He will likely lose his arm, if not his life. He left this morning.

Accident at Stockton.

STOCKTON, December 26th.—A most serious and fatal accident occurred to-day in Mr. Van Cise's gunshop. The accident was occasioned by the careless handling of a pistol by a lad named Charlie Scoville, the pistol being discharged while in the hands, and the ball entering the right lung of Wm. Bateman, who was sitting a few feet away. The shooting was purely accidental. Mr. Bateman has a wife and two children.

Burned to Death.

AUSTIN, Nev., December 26th.—Yesterday morning a fire broke out in a frame building occupied by a miner named J. M. Curley. After the flames were extinguished, the charred remains of Curley were found in a sleeping posture by the bedside. He died at 33 years of age and was a native of County Roscommon, Ireland.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

EASTERN.

Sheridan will probably go to New Orleans.

NEW YORK, December 28th.—It is believed that Sheridan will take command at New Orleans. The excitement is growing and increasing, and it is thought the Compromisers will even resort to assassination rather than to endure a corrupt and usurped Government.

Probable Trouble with Spain.

NEW YORK, December 28th.—It is a growing conviction with the President or the Cabinet that the present administration views as expressed in Cushing's original instructions, the President will recommend the extension of belligerent rights to the Cuban insurgents. This proposition is supported by the argument that free Cuba involves the extinction of slavery, and it is rapidly enlisting strong combinations inside and outside of Congress.

Washington Items.

WASHINGTON, December 28th.—King Kalakaua denies having raised the racial question with the President or the Cabinet. He is preparing to meet the diplomatic agents. The Investigating Committee reassembled after adjournment. The books of the Pacific Mail Company were produced and Samuel J. Harriott, banker and broker, was examined; also Mr. Delameter, cashier of the Marine National Bank; J. V. Worth, cashier of the Park National Bank, and Thos. Ellis, note teller of the Park National Bank.

Red Cloud desires to visit Washington with about forty Sioux Chiefs, to settle the troubles about the Black Hills Reservation. The Commissioner of Indian Affairs declines to grant the petition on the ground that there are no funds to pay the expenses.

A Political Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, December 26th.—There was a fight between Dan C. Becker, manager of the Citizen, and ex-Governor Warming, in the Canal street. Becker knocked Warming down with a stick and jumped on him. Warming drew his knife and stabbed Becker several times in the abdomen. The wounds are dangerous. Warming was arrested.

A Physician in Trouble.

NEW YORK, December 28th.—A prominent physician of this city is now confined for the murder of his illegitimate child, on the affidavit of two women, whose names the police decline to expose. One of them is supposed to be the mother of the child.

By the collision of the ferry boats Alaska and Calden, one man was killed and three fatally injured. The boats are badly damaged.

FOREIGN.

From Over the Water.

LONDONDERRY, December 29th.—A telegram received by the owners confirms the reported burning of the emigrant ship Caspatrik. Only three persons are at present known to survive—the second mate and two seamen.

HAVANA, December 28th.—The Captain-General has ordered the Commanders of the Spanish troops to treat insurgents leniently, but to execute all offenders.

STORAGE.

IN FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSES,

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCEMENTS ON

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Next to the Pleo House.

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AT THEIR HALL

ON NEW YEAR'S EVE,

Thursday, Dec. 31st, 1874.

TICKETS admitting Gentleman and Ladies \$2.00.

Dors open at 8 o'clock.

Grand March at 9 o'clock.

A LARGE

CHRISTMAS TREE

Will be decorated on this occasion, and New Year's Gifts distributed as usual.

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One Square from the line of the

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One and a half miles from the

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The finest residences in the city are in its vicinity, and the pipes of the Los Angeles City Water Company are soon to be extended to it.

Notice.

ALL Parties having pledges in my office

will call and redeem the same before the

20th of the month; if not, they will be sold at

public auction.

E. GREENBAUM,

Proprietor.

For further information, apply to either of the officers of the Association.

Subscription list at the office of the Secretary.

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W.M. TABER,

For San Francisco and Santa Barbara has been

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POSTAL CHARGES.

The following postal charges went into operation July 1st, 1874. All publications are subject to postage to subscribers in the county in which they are published. Books and packages are measured to the weight and the postage will be paid at the rate of one cent for every two ounces or fraction over. Tied packages may be entirely enclosed. Some portion of sealed packages must be opened for inspection.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

The Senator sails for San Diego on Friday.

The Wm. Taber will sail for San Francisco to-morrow.

The barkentine Grace Roberts arrived at Wilmington Monday with lumber for Griffith, Lynch & Co.

The shipments from Downey yesterday were 195 sacks beans, 407 sacks corn, 16 sacks rye and 11 sacks pop-corn.

"Health, Beauty and Happiness of Woman" this afternoon. The ladies will all turn out to Dr. Brennan's lecture.

A force of men are at work on Alameda street laying the curbing and grading the street to receive its coat of macadam.

The box-sheet for Little Mac's performance to-night is kept at the office of Woblenberg & Bettis, No. 36 Main street. Go and secure your seats early if you want some of the fun.

Capt. Borrowe, the contractor for improving Main street, commenced operations in front of the HERALD office and one block further south yesterday.

The raffle for Mrs. Scott's horse and saddle is arranged to come off at Joe Breson's saloon at 8 o'clock this evening. The tickets are all disposed of and there is nothing to delay the affair longer.

An order is published this morning for members of the Los Angeles Guards to appear in uniform at their armory (Stearns' Hall) on New Year's evening. The occasion will be devoted to a social dance and a delightful time is anticipated.

At a stated meeting of Lexington Lodge, No. 101, F. & A. M., held at El Monte on the 19th of December, 1874, the following officers were elected to serve for the next Masonic year: D. A. Reed, Master; Peter Penfold, S. W.; J. S. Elliot, J. W.; J. W. Broadhead, Secretary.

Our statistics for the annual review, to be published in the DAILY HERALD, on Friday morning, promise to be full and interesting. Some few persons whom we have not yet received by mail for compilation, have not yet responded. We request a reply during to-day—or to-morrow noon at the very latest.

The papers north of Los Angeles in orange-growing sections are as usual, at this season of the year, making a terrible cackling over the immense superiority of their ripe oranges over the green ones sent to market from this section. Owing to the extreme heat of the Summers in the interior valleys in the northern part of the State, all kinds of fruits ripen from six weeks to two months earlier than here; their oranges are now as fully matured as ours will be by the first of March. If our fruit growers are so foolish as to sell their unripe fruit in competition with ripe, it is their own business, but it hurts the reputation of the country.

The following rather curious story comes to us well authenticated and we present it to our readers as the most convenient and easy way of catching deer yet discovered. A few days ago Mr. Robert Hall, who is living on a bee ranch in the mountains near Richland, was passing up a cañon adjoining his place and came upon a couple of buck deer who were engaged in a fierce warfare. Mr. Hall attempted to frighten and separate the animals by shooting stones at them, but found after repeated efforts of the kind that his presence was entirely unheeded by the combatants. A hunting thought then struck him, and taking a lariat which he had with him for the purpose of catching his horses, he tied the antlers of the deer securely together and left them while he procured a butcher-knife from his house and killed both of the animals. A more novel way of securing venison we have never heard of, and were it not that the story is told us by an acquaintance in whom we have the most implicit confidence, we should be a little incredulous of it.

Dr. Brennan's Lectures.

"The Health, Beauty and Happiness of Woman" is the subject of Dr. Brennan's lecture to ladies exclusively at Good Templars' Hall this afternoon. It seems to us that no lady could fail to be interested in such a subject; and, were we one of the gentler sex, we should certainly attend. The Doctor is a fine speaker and handles his subject with the most perfect and naturalism. Moreover, he is a "flock of man," as the ladies say, and eligible, so that this fact should carry no little influence. This evening the Doctor will deliver his lecture to gentlemen only on Manhood—how lost and how regained. It is said to be his best effort, and just what every man and boy in the country needs to hear. There will be no empty chairs for those who come in late.

A Card.

Hugh Kernal, No. 16 Commercial street, announces to his friends and the public that, having received a large assortment of cigars and tobacco, etc., from San Francisco, he is now ready to sell as low as the lowest to those who wish to favor him with their patronage. He keeps the finest brands of cigars and tobacco always on hand. Best 25 cent imported Hayana cigars in town.

Bee-Keepers' Meeting.

The Bee-Keepers' Association of Los Angeles county held a meeting at El Monte on Saturday, Dec. 19th, Capt. J. T. Gordon, presiding. The following officers were elected for 1874: President, Capt. J. T. Gordon; Vice-Presidents, John W. Wilson and R. J. Bayley; Secretary, William Muth-Rasmussen; Treasurer, Levi Richardson.

The jewelry manufacturer of Messrs. Fisher & Thacher are making a great variety of holiday goods such as diamond rings, studs and sleeve buttons, gold chains, stone cameo and other jewelry for ladies; also stone and fancy rings of every description.

Our assortment of gents' and boys' clothing is complete. You can find the latest style silk diagonal suits of coats and vests; best quality silk velvet vests at the lowest prices, at the People's Palace, 40 Main street, d11-2w.

You can't name anything in the smoker's line which Cohen & Davis do not keep at the Identical, No. 38, Main street. Their stock is of the best quality and their prices down to bed-rock.

When it comes to a cigar that will afford you real satisfaction in smoking, it is to be bought of Cohen & Davis at the Identical, No. 38, Main street.

The most extensive stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods, cigars, tobacco and smokers' articles in the city, is kept at the Identical, No. 38 Main street.

Three hundred and eighty Christmas presents have been given away at the People's Palace since the 1st. of December, and 2,000 presents are still on hand, one of which will be given to each of those buying five dollars worth of goods.

The finest and best silver-ware in the market at twenty per cent, cheaper than ever before. A splendid assortment for the holidays at Fisher & Thatcher's.

Twenty-five hundred pennyweights of gold chains of Eastern, San Francisco and Los Angeles make, suitable for holiday presents. Fisher & Thatcher's.

Holiday presents bought of Fisher & Thatcher will be engraved free of charge by the best engravers in the country.

The Identical still continues its thriving trade. The reason for this is that all goods sold at the establishment prove just as they are represented.

For a stylish hat, a nice pair of boots or gauntlets, call at the People's Palace, 40 Main street.

Agency Liverpool and London and other Insurance Company. Assets \$1,000,000. Agency State Investment Insurance Company, Fire and Marine. Assets \$300,000 at Brodrick's Book Store, near the Postoffice.

If you desire to purchase the best pianos for the lowest prices go to Patrick's, No. 60 Spring street, and buy a Decker, Dunham or Emerson piano.

Go to the Identical, No. 38 Main street, for your new pocket handkerchiefs and suspenders. The best stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods in the city is to be found there.

At the People's Palace you get seven towels for \$1; table covers, all wool, at \$1 25; twelve yards calico for \$1; four spools of cotton (Brooks') for 25 cents.

Special Notices.

Dr. Paul M. Brennan will be in Los Angeles in short time to deliver a course of lectures on the Laws of Life and Health. We clip the following from the San Jose Mercury concerning a similar course which Dr. Brodrick delivered at this place: Thursday evening, Dr. Brodrick delivered an instructive lecture to men only, who were largely attended and highly appreciated. By special request of the ladies who attended the lecture on Wednesday afternoon, the Doctor will deliver another day afternoon, at the same hour, a lecture on Health, Happiness and Beauty of Women. The ladies of San Jose should turn out and see the Opera House, now open, to hear the lecture for both sexes. Subject, "The Present Condition of Society." The lecture will be free of charge.

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Firm, Billingard and Oyster Saloon, in the basement of the U. S. Hotel building, formerly occupied by the Cudmore & Winkell Saloon, is now a Repository of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, etc., and the best and most reliable accommodation for customers. No charge will be made to pay for room, and regular Bill Poster in the city. Office of the Star office, or orders may be left at any of the printing offices.

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STOCKTON, December 26th.—A. M. Purz, living twenty miles south of Stockton, while in the act of taking his gun from his wagon, struck the hammer, discharging a load of heavy shot into his breast. The flesh was carried away, laying the ribs bare for a space of five inches and tearing the nerves and muscles of the left arm to such an extent as to produce partial paralysis. There are hopes of his recovery.

It must indeed be dry in Texas if it be true as a local paper says, that the suffering eastiffs lie stranded on the blistering bottom of his late happy home, waving his tail in the crisp breezes as a signal of distress.

LETTER LIST.

The following is a list of the letters held for postage at the Los Angeles Postoffice, Decem. 29, 1874:

Miss Teany Laventhal, San Bernardino. Mrs. Mary S. Levy, Downey City. Mrs. Mary B. Soule, San Francisco. John Crosby, City.

D. Duran, Mazatlan, Mexico.

Mrs. Henry E. Putnam, Chelmsford, Mass.

F. Tullien, San Francisco.

John C. Thompson, San Francisco.

Manuelito Lourdes, City.

Mrs. Ed. Reusser, San Francisco.

John C. Thompson, San Francisco.

Canco Seperina, San Francisco.

Tobin Davidson, San Francisco.

Mr. Dauphin, San Diego.

UNAVAILABLE.

Wm. W. Banks, Deputy Clerk.

H. C. Gould, Deputy Clerk.

K. W. Bent, P. M.

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CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

WEDNESDAY DEC. 30, 1874.

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B. F. HARRIS Chief of Police
Officer, 45 Spring street.
GEO. R. BUTLER City Treasurer
Officer, Post Office, Main street.
A. W. HUTCHINSON City Attorney
Office, No. 56 Temple Block.
W. M. MOORE City Surveyor
Office, Cor. Spring and First streets.
D. W. T. LUCKY City Schools
J. H. BROWN Health Officer
Office, No. 1 Spring street, up stairs.
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Terms of Court—First Monday of Jan.,
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J. W. HAVEYSTICK, Reg. U. S. Land Office

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Office, No. 48, Temple Block.
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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors held in this city on the 21st day of December, 1874, an assessment (No. 1) of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS PER SHARE was levied upon all the stockholders of the company, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the company at its office, No. 14 Spring street, Los Angeles, California.

Any stockholder which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 22d day of January, 1875, will be declared delinquent and will be advertised in the public auction, and payment is made before will be sold on the

6th Day of February, 1875,

To pay delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

L. M. HOLT, Secretary, Los Angeles, Cal., December 21, 1874.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

GOLD REPORT.
SAN FRANCISCO, December 29.

Gold, \$12. Greenbacks—Buying, \$9; selling, \$9.

San Francisco Markets—By Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 29.

FLOUR—\$1 75/6 12½%.

WHEAT—\$1 50/6 12½%.

BARLEY—\$1 25/6 12½%.

OATS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

RYE—\$1 25/6 12½%.

HAZELNUTS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

ONIONS—\$1 10/6 12½%.

CORN—\$1 25/6 12½%.

BRAINS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

POTATOES—\$1 75/6 12½%.

BUTTER—\$6.

CHEESE—\$1 25/6 12½%.

EUCALYPTUS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

LEAVACH—\$1 25/6 12½%.

APPLES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PEACHES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

GRAPES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

BROCCOLI—\$1 25/6 12½%.

LEMONS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

ORANGES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PRUNE PLUMS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PEARS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

CHERRIES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PLUMS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PEACHES—\$1 25/6 12½%.

PEPPERS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

EGGS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

CHICKENS—\$1 25/6 12½%.

TURKEYS, per pound dressed—\$1 25/6 12½%.

GOOSE—\$1 25/6 12½%.

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